

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph starting on page 11, line 22, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Moreover, in the case of the invention of a sixth aspect, to simplify the inter-line correction, a changing magnification by a carriage is set to ~~2n times or n/2 times~~ 100%, 2n times of 100%, or 1/2n times of 100% such as 25%, 50%, 200%, or 400% (in this case, n is an integer).

Please replace the paragraph starting on page 46, line 17, with the following rewritten paragraph:

In this case, a parameter for a magnification-change magnification to be set to the sub-scanning-control-condition determination circuit 23 is set to ~~2n times or n/2 times~~ 100%, 2n times of 100%, or 1/2n times of 100% (e.g. 25%, 50%, 100%, 200%, or 400%) (in this case, n is an integer).

Please replace the paragraph starting on page 48, line 21, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Therefore, by setting a magnification-change-magnification parameter to ~~2n times or n/2 times~~ 100%, 2n times of 100%, or 1/2n times of 100% as in the above setting example, inter-line correction can be realized by a delay of only a delay memory and thereby it is possible to reduce the hard-ware cost because a circuit can be simplified.